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Honorable Renée Marie Bumb  
United States District Judge  
District of New Jersey  
1 John F. Gerry Plaza  
Camden, NJ 08101

*Re: United States v. Josue Pichardo. a/k/a Josue Pichaldo. a/k/a Fito Abru. a/k/a Rodolfo Abreu. Crim. No. 21-289*

Your Honor:

Due to previously scheduled court commitments, I am not available on November 2, 2021, the date the Court scheduled a conference to discuss the defendant's request to withdraw his guilty plea.

Additionally I should note that the defendant called my office on October 27, 2021, and informed my staff that he would like to obtain new counsel.

I am available on the following dates and times, as is AUSA Alisa Shver; 11/2/21 after 2 pm, 11/4 after 11:30 am, 11/15 after 11:30, 11/23 all day.

Thank you for your consideration, I remain,

Very truly yours,

Gregory J. Pagano